The *MARYLAND* GAZETTE.

[XX*th* Year.] THURSDAY, *June* 21, 1764. [N°. 998.]

HEADS of an ACT of PARLIAMENT passed this Seſſions for granting certain Duties in the Britiſh Colonies and Plantations in America, &c. and for improving and ſecuring the Trade between the ſame and Great-Britain.

WHEREAS it is juſt and neceſſary, that a revenue be raiſed in America, for defraying the expences of defending and protecting, and ſecuring the ſame:

From and after 29 Sept. 1764. the following rates and duties ſhall take place on the ſeveral ſpecies of foreign goods, here enumerated, imported into any of his Majeſty's plantations in America; viz.

On foreign white or clayed ſugars, 1l. 2s. per C wt. [inſtead of 5s.].

Indigo 6d. per lb. [inſtead of 2d.]

Coffee 2 l. 19 s. 9d. per C wt.

Madeira wine 7 l. per ton.

Portugal and Spaniſh wines 10 s. per ton.

Wrought ſilks, Bengals, and ſtuffs, mixt with ſilks or herba, 22 s. per lb.

Calicoes 2 s. 6 d. per piece.

Cambricks 3 s. per piece.

Coffee and Pimento, of the growth of the Britiſh colonies, imported from thence to other places, except Great-Britain, Coffee 7 s. per C wt. Pimento (Jamaica pepper) 2d. per lb.

The Act 6 George II. (for the better ſecuring and encouraging the trade of his Majeſty's Sugar colonies in America) ſhall continue in force till the 30th of Sept. 1764; after which it ſhall be perpetual, ſubject to the alterations following:

Foreign melaſſes and ſyrups imported into the Britiſh colonies, ſhall pay 3 d. per gallon [inſtead of 6 d. as heretofore; which was ſeldom or never paid; but much of thoſe commodities daily ſmuggled.]

The importer refuſing to pay the duties on wines, the officer ſhall ſeize the ſame, and publickly ſell them to the beſt bidder, and deduct the duties and charges. If they ſhall not bring ſufficient to pay the duty and charges, they ſhall be ſtaved and ſpilt.

The Monies ariſing by the ſeveral Duties before granted, and upon ſugars, &c. ſhall be paid into the Exchequer; and be reſerved towards defraying the charges of protecting the Britiſh colonies in America.

The exporter of wines from this Kingdom to the Britiſh colonies in America, ſhall be paid a drawback of the duties on importation; except 3 l. 10 s. per ton, granted by an act of the laſt Seſſion; and alſo the aliens duty: He firſt giving bond and ſecurity for the due exportation and landing of the ſame; conditioned to produce a certificate thereof from the proper officer, within 18 months.

No part of the old ſubſidy ſhall be repaid for any foreign goods exported as aforeſaid; except for wines, white calicoes, and muſlins: And upon the exportation of white calicoes or muſlins, neither the moiety of the old ſubſidy, nor the third part of the net duties thereon, granted by Act 11 and 12 William III. and 3 and 4 Anne, ſhall be repaid, before until 1 March, 1765, upon exportation of ſuch white calicoes and muſlins, as were ſold on or before 25 March preceding, at the India Houſe, the ſame drawbacks ſhall be allowed as are now payable.

Where goods entered for exportation to parts beyond the ſeas, in order to obtain a drawback not allowed by this act, ſhall be carried to any Britiſh plantation in America, ſuch drawback ſhall be forfeited, and double the amount thereof, with treble the value of the goods. To the oath upon debenture, for ſuch goods as ſhall be entered for exportation to other places beyond the ſeas, than to the Britiſh American plantations, ſhall be added theſe words, "Any Britiſh colonies or plantations in America."

Foreign rum or ſpirits imported into any of the Britiſh plantations in America, ſhall be forfeited, together with the veſſel, &c. [They were, before, allowed to be imported on paying 9d. per gallon.]

No ſugars ſhall be imported into Ireland, but ſuch as ſhall be ſhipped in Great Britain, and carried directly from hence.

The exporter of rum, ſpirits, panelas, melaſſes or ſyrups, from the Britiſh colonies in America, as of the growth thereof, ſhall produce and deliver to the proper officer before clearing, an affidavit of the quality of the goods, and nomination of the packages, &c. The officer ſhall grant the maſter of the veſſel a certificate thereof; and ſhall tranſmit a copy of ſuch affidavit to the Secretary's Office for the time, on penalty of 5 l.

On arrival of the veſſel at the port of diſcharge, the maſter ſhall deliver the certificate to the proper officer, and take the oath of the identity of the goods, on penalty of 100 l. All goods found on board not certified for, &c. ſhall pay foreign duties.

Where any ſuch goods, not included in the certificate, ſhall be imported without intending a fraud, they may be permitted to entry, paying the uſual duties.

Bond and ſecurity ſhall be given purſuant to the act 12 Geo. 2. in caſe of lading any enumerated goods, that any foreign melaſſes and ſyrups, on board, ſhall be brought to any of the Britiſh plantations in America, or to Great-Britain; of which report ſhall be made at the port of arrival. All enumerated goods laden on board without bond given, ſhall be forfeited with the veſſel.

The maſter, before ſailing from the port of lading, ſhall take a certificate of his having given bond; which, upon completing his voyage, he ſhall deliver up at the port of diſcharge, on penalty of 100 l.

Britiſh Veſſels with any Britiſh American goods, or foreign melaſſes or ſyrups, diſcovered near the Britiſh American coaſts, not producing a certificate as required by Law; or not producing one of the port of arrival, ſhall be forfeited.

The bond for non-enumerated goods ſhall be in force for one Year after the Voyage; when, if no Fraud appear, it ſhall be given up.

Coffee, and other enumerated goods of the Britiſh American plantations, ſhall be imported under like ſecurities and penalties, as thoſe in acts 13 and 25 Car. II.

Bond and ſecurity ſhall be given before lading any iron or lumber of the Britiſh American plantations, conditioned to land the ſame, if for Europe, in Great-Britain; and to produce a certificate thereof within 18 months; and if for any of the Britiſh American plantations, within 6 months; and if for any other place in America, Africa, or Aſia, within 12 months. Where the goods periſh, or are taken, the bond ſhall be diſcharged.

No goods ſhall be ſhipped in one Britiſh colony to be carried to another, without a Sufferance, and taking out a proper cocket; which ſhall be produced at the port of diſcharge; on forfeiture of the goods. The goods ſhall alſo be forfeited, if they do not agree with the cocket. A veſſel diſcovered near the coaſt ſhall be ſtopt, and the goods, for which no cocket is produced, ſhall be ſeized.

No veſſel ſhall be cleared out for any of the Britiſh colonies in America, unleſs the whole cargo be ſhipped in this Kingdom; and where any European veſſel is diſcovered near ſuch coaſts, the goods for which no ſuch cocket is produced, ſhall be ſeized; ſalt, Madeira wines, &c. horſes, proviſions, or linens, from Ireland, excepted. The penalty on counterfeiting, &c. any affidavit, or certificate, ſhall be 500 l.

Foreign veſſels found at anchor, or hovering on the coaſts of any of the Britiſh American dominions, and not departing, unleſs diſtreſſed, within 48 hours after notice, ſhall be forfeited, together with the goods, except French fiſhing veſſels off Newfoundland.

Britiſh veſſels found ſtanding into, or coming out from the iſles of St. Pierre and Miquelon, or hovering, &c. on the coaſts, or with goods on board from thence, &c. ſhall be forfeited, together with the goods; and the maſter, &c. ſhall forfeit alſo treble value.

Concealed goods found on board, after report made by the maſter, and not comprifed in his report, ſhall be forfeited; and the maſter, being privy to the fraud, ſhall forfeit treble the value.

If cuſtomed goods be either laden on board, or landed, before the duties are paid, or prohibited goods be imported into, or exported out of, any of the Britiſh colonies in America, the perſons concerned therein ſhall forfeit treble the value; together with the boats, carriages, and cattle employed. An Officer receiving any bribe, &c. conniving at a falſe entry; making a colluſive ſeizure; or being guilty of other fraud in his office; ſhall forfeit 500 l. and be diſabled from ſerving the King in any office. And perſons giving, or promiſing any bribe, &c. to ſuch officer, in order to betray his truſt, ſhall forfeit 500 l.

Penalties and forfeitures in America, may be recovered in the Courts of Record there, or Court of Vice Admiralty; and the net produce ſhall be paid, one third to the King, one third to the Governor, and one third to the Proſecutor. But ſeizures made at ſea by the King's ſhips are to go, one moiety to the King, and the other to the Proſecutor; ſubject nevertheleſs to ſuch diſtribution, as his Majeſty, by order of Council, or proclamation, ſhall make.

Where the ſeizure ſhall not anſwer the expence of condemnation and ſale, or a verdict be given for the claimant, the charges, with approbation of the commiſſioners, may be defrayed out of the cuſtoms in America.

No claims ſhall be admitted, till ſecurity to anſwer coſts be given, to the amount of 60 l. and in default, ſhip and goods ſhall be condemned.

Where ſhip or goods are ſeized for any cauſe of forfeiture, the owner ſhall prove the matter in diſpute.

In trials upon information, in America, where a probable cauſe of ſeizure appears, the Judge ſhall certify the ſame on the record; and the defendant ſhall have no coſts nor action; and in ſuits, where no information ſhall be commenced and brought to Trial, and the Court ſhall certify there was a probable cauſe of ſeizure, the plaintiff ſhall have but 2d. damages, and no coſts; and the defendant be fined not more than 1 s.

FLORENCE, February 27.

THE Spaniſh and Neapolitan Miniſters have cauſed Bread to be diſtributed to the Populace during four Days, on account of the Marriage of the Infanta of Spain with the Archduke Leopold. Our Government has obliged thoſe who had amaſſed great Quantities of Grain to bring it to Market, and ſell it at a reaſonable Price, that the Poor may eat.

Naples, March 13. The Famine increaſes. Turkey Corn, Beans, and Lupines, are employed in making Bread, and the People croud to the Places where it is delivered, and by their Numbers have occaſioned ſome Diſturbances. For Five Days paſt the Churches have been filled with Perſons imploring Heaven to put a Stop to the public Calamity. A great Number of Women and Girls walk the Streets in Proceſſion, barefooted, their Hair looſe, and with Halters about their Necks. The Head and Blood of St. Januarius have likewiſe been expoſed, and public Prayers ordered.

Frankfort, March 27. This Day the Archduke Joſeph was unanimouſly elected King of the Romans. The Three Eccleſiaſtical Electors aſſiſted in Perſon on this Occaſion. The Elector of Mentz preſided. The King of the Romans will make his public Entry the 29th, and will be Crowned the 3d of next Month.

Florence, March 24. The Government of Naples have ſeized Five Ships, loaden with Corn, deſtined for this State: And at preſent there are armed Neapolitan Veſſels cruiſing in the Channel of Piombino, to intercept any Veſſels with Corn for whatever Port they are deſtined.

LONDON.

March 24. A Ship from Virginia, about 250 Tons, was ſeen overſet near St. David's Head; ſhe had ſails, Guſſets, and a long Round Houſe; a Letter was taken up, directed for Captain Bellenden; no further Particulars, as the Ship's Stern only was above Water; Tobacco and Staves appeared adrift.

March 29. The Claim of a Noble Lord to the Iſland of St. Vincent, after a ſolemn Hearing, which took up Three Days, before the Privy Council, has been adjudged invalid, for this, among other Reaſons, that the firſt and moſt eſſential Conditions of the Grant were never complied with by his Lordſhip's Noble Anceſtor, who, inſtead of landing there, clearing a certain Quantity of Land, and placing thereon a certain Number of white People, never ſo much as attempted to land, after miſcarrying at St. Lucia. It is the Conſequence of this Determination, that St. Vincent is mentioned with the other Iſlands, in the late Proclamation for the Sale of our Weſt-India Conqueſts.

April 3. Information having been given, that ſeveral of his Majeſty's Subjects have been for a conſiderable Time, and are now, detained in France as Hoſtages for the Payment of Ranſom Bills, which have not yet been ſatisfied; Notice was given in the Gazette of laſt Saturday, that in Caſe ſuch Ranſom Bills are not forthwith diſcharged, Proſecutions will be commenced in his Majeſty's Court of Admiralty againſt all Maſters, Owners, and others, unjuſtly refuſing or neglecting to pay the Sums of Money ſtipulated for the Releaſe of thoſe unfortunate Perſons, who have ſuffered ſo long Impriſonment.

It is reported, that a deſervedly reſpected Nobleman has declared, that provided he goes to the Eaſt-Indies, and is allowed a proper Number of Ships and Forces, he will engage to bring Home (and obtained by honourable Methods) as much Specie and Effects, as after paying the full Charges and Expences of the Expedition, will be ſufficient to diſcharge and pay off the whole National Debt.

April 14. The M'Dowell, from Maryland for Glaſgow, is entirely loſt on Tuſker Rock, S. E. of the Point of Ireland: The Crew were ſaved by a Coaſting Veſſel.

The Duke of Cumberland Packet Boat, Capt. Goodridge, from New-York, is arrived at Falmouth with a Mail.

Monday Evening a Gentleman going along the Poultry loſt his Hat, but could not perceive any Perſon near him but a Baker with a Baſket on his Shoulders: A Perſon looking out of the Window, called to the Gentleman to ſtop the Baker, when a little Boy was found in his Baſket with three Hats, all of which he had ſnatched off Perſons Heads as they paſſed along.—This is an old Way of Robbing revived.

Thurſday a Servant at a Public-houſe in Paddington, having ſome Words with his Maſter, and ſwearing in a moſt reprobate Manner, dropped down in a Fit, and expired in a few Minutes.

Yeſterday was held a Court of Directors of the Eaſt India Company, when Thomas Rous, Eſq; was elected Chairman, and Henry Crab Boulton, Eſq; Deputy Chairman; upon which Meſſ. Sullivan, Thornton, Smith, Rooke, and Boyd, withdrew from the Court, with an Intention (as it is ſuppoſed) to diſqualify themſelves from acting in the Direction.

This Event will probably be attended with important Conſequences to the Company's Affairs, as the chief Obſtacle to their reaping the Benefit of Lord Clive's Services by his going abroad ſeems to be hereby removed.

Whitehall, March 31. The King has been pleaſed to conſtitute and appoint Robert Melvill, Eſq; Captain General and Governor in Chief in and over the Iſlands of Grenada, the Grenadines, Dominico, St. Vincent, and Tobago, in America, and of all other Iſlands and Territories adjacent thereto, and which now are, or heretofore have been dependent thereon.

St. James's, April 10. The King has been pleaſed to conſtitute and appoint George James Bruere, Eſq; to be Governor and Commander in Chief of the Bermuda or Summer Iſlands in America, in the room of William Popple, Eſq; deceaſed.

PHILADELPHIA, *June* 14.

Late on Wedneſday Evening, the 6th Inſtant, the Rev. Doctor SMITH, Provoſt of the College of this City, arrived in perfect Health, having come in the Halifax Packet, in about 6 Weeks from Falmouth. The Day following, the Profeſſors of the College, in their proper Habits, and many of the principal Gentlemen of the City, gave him a moſt cordial Welcome at his Houſe; and on Tueſday laſt the Truſtees of the College received him at the College, and, after peruſing the Papers and Accounts which he laid before them, they did, by the Mouth of their Preſident, return him their unanimous Thanks, for the great Zeal, Ability and Addreſs, which he hath ſhewn in the Management of the Collection, carried on in Conjunction with Sir JAMES JAY, for this College, and that of New-York; by Means of which, about Thirteen Thouſand Pounds Sterling will come clearly, to be divided between the two Seminaries.

Extract of a Letter from Williamſburg, May 19.

An Expreſs is juſt arrived to the Governor, with an Account that the Indians have done a great deal of Miſchief on Potomack Creek; they came to Cook's Fort, and imitated the Cry of wild Turkies; upon which one of the Garriſon ſaid, as the Turkies were ſo plenty, he would take his Gun and ſee if he could not kill two or three; but on his Way to the Place where the Cry proceeded from, he ſaw a Deer, and thought he had better make ſure of that, but he had no ſooner fired his Rifle than he had four Guns fired at him; the Ball of one went thro' his Hat, and another

another thro' the Skirts of his Coat: He endeavoured to load again, but they came running towards him, which obliged him to throw away his Gun, and make for the Fort, but they cut him off from that, so he steps took immediately down to the Inhabitants, and, after a twelve Hours Chace, he got clear of them. How many People they have killed, I have not yet learnt.

From Shippensburgh we have Advice, that the young Woman, who was lately made Prisoner at the Mouth of Aughwick, made her Escape the next Evening after she was taken: That on Sunday, the Third Instant, the Indians killed one William Crow, about 15 Miles from Shippensburgh, and carried off his Wife and four Children, Prisoners: That as a Boy was milking a Cow, about a Mile from said Crow's, he saw an Indian crawling towards him, upon which he went into the House, took a Gun, and fired at him, about 80 Yards Distance, which made the Fellow stagger, when another immediately came up, and helped the wounded One off: And that this Party of Indians was said to consist of twelve.

Extract of a Letter from Fort Pitt, June 1, 1764.

"The Corporal and four Men, who went with the last Returns to Ligonier, are not yet returned, and I am in some Pain about them, as the Savages begin now to discover themselves round the Skirts of the Woods.——On the 27th of May, in the Morning, a Soldier of the 42d Regiment was fired at, as he was standing Centry, upon the Point of Grant's Hill; this Centry was detached from a Corporal's Guard, which was out that Morning to cover the Ploughs at Work in Captain Philips's Field; tho' the Centry was mortally wounded, he made his Escape, but died in about two Hours after he came into the Fort.——That Party of Indians (Nine in Number) remained yelping on the Point of the Hill, till the Picquet was more than Half-way up to them, and then they ran off into the Woods, and the Picquet returned into the Fort.——At Night, between the Hours of Nine and Ten, the whole Garrison heard fourteen Death Hallos's on the other Side of the Allegheny River.——On the 28th, in the Morning, two Indians were seen upon the Point of Grant's Hill; and in the Afternoon of the same Day, five of the Enemy were seen by the Picquet in the Face of the Encampment Hill.——On the 29th a Shot was heard towards the Two Mile Run, not far from the Road leading to Ligonier.——The 30th, in the Afternoon, two Indians were again seen upon the Point of Grant's Hill, just above the Ligonier Road; and late in the Evening, two Horses, with Bells, and some Indians with them, were seen on the opposite Side of the Allegheny.——All these Circumstances put together, make me imagine that the Savages are assembling to infest the Communication, though, I believe, not in such Numbers as to dare to molest the Troops coming up against them.——The Commanding Officers at Ligonier and Bedford, have had Notice of the above.——We are very easy here, not imagining it in the Power of all the Savages to molest us.

Our Advices from Carlisle, of the Fourth Instant are, That a Man was found dead and scalped, in the Road between Loudoun and Shippen's Town: That at Bedford one Man had been killed, and another carried off: That at Fort Littleton one Man was wounded: And that the Roads were much infested by the Enemy.

Extract of a Letter from Fort Cumberland, June 5.

"On the 26th ult. a large Body of Indians fell on a Party of White People, working in a Field near Fort Dinwiddie, in Augusta County, Virginia, when they killed Fifteen, and wounded and took Sixteen more; they then attacked the Fort, and fired six Hours successively on it, but could not prevail.——This Day I received an Express from Col. Stephens, who informs me, that on the Fourth Instant Captain Nimrod Ashby, and a Man of the Virginia Volunteers, were taken Prisoners on the South Branch of Potowmack.——The same Day a Negro Fellow, belonging to one Lynch, was taken as he was driving a Waggon; the Horses were killed, and the Waggon broke to Pieces.——Also, at the same time, a Man, his Wife, and Child, were carried off from Cedar-Creek, within ten Miles of Winchester; and it is supposed, by the great Number of Tracks discovered that there must be three or four large Bodies of the Enemy now down among us; the Inhabitants are chiefly gone away, or going.

Extract of a Letter from Virginia, June 4.

"The Situation of our Frontiers is truly distressing.——The Indians killing and captivating daily.——About eight Days past, upwards of forty Persons were killed at the Pastures, on the Frontiers of Augusta County.——We were hopeful our Troubles were in some Measure over; but, to our Surprise, the Indians came on Friday last, about seven Miles from me, and took one Day's Wife, and four Children. Next Morning, about Sun-rise, four Families going to a Fort with Horses loaded, the Indians Way-laid them, and killed and captivated 21, whose Names were Lloyd, and his Family, Clopper, Jones, Thomas, &c. This Morning, about Two o'Clock, I was informed that about Sunset Yesterday, six Families were cut off near the Narrow Passage. Two Companies of Men are gone after the Enemy, to re-take the Captives, if possible, of which there are as yet no Accounts."

Extract of a Letter from Fort Loudoun, June 5, 1764.

"Last Week several Indian Tracks were seen in the Woods betwixt this Place and Juniata. Some few of the Inhabitants, who had gone to their Plantations on that Creek, to sow Corn, were attacked by a Party of Indians; one of whom was killed, but on the others returning the Fire, the Indians went off; they carried a Woman with them, that they had taken the Evening before.—On the First of this Month a Man at Mr. Armstrong's Plantation, about Half a Mile from this Fort, who went in the Morning to take Care of his Cattle, was fired on, and shot thro' the Arm, but did not see those who fired on him.——Next Day, about six Miles below this Post, a Man was killed and scalped, his Wife, and four small Children, carried off.——Parties followed their Tracks to the Mountain, but there lost them.——This Day, about Eleven o'Clock, one of the Inhabitants came to inform me, that about four Miles down the Creek, that passes thro' this Place, three Families were cut off, and their Habitations burnt.——I immediately sent an Officer with a strong Party, along with a Number of the Inhabitants, armed, to endeavour coming up with the Indians, or to make Discoveries. He is just returned, and acquaints me, that three Families, consisting of 13 Persons, were killed, their Houses burnt down, and that several of the dead Bodies were found in the Ruins, almost burnt to Ashes, which he buried; he afterwards made a large Circuit in the Woods, without discovering any Track of the Enemy; but found a few Things that belonged to the Killed, which the Indians had taken away. Some of the Inhabitants are still in Pursuit, but am afraid there is little Probability of Success, as the Tracks were very indistinct.——One Lad escaped; he says the Indian Party was about Twenty; that they fired several Shot after him; and that he saw his Father and Mother knocked down with Tomahawks, before he ran off. These Alarms have intimidated the Inhabitants extremely; they are returning from their Plantations in Crowds to this, and every other little Post in the Neighbourhood, in the utmost Distress. I shall do every thing in my Power to support them, and alleviate their Misery."

Several Persons were likewise made Prisoners.

Extract of a Letter from Carlisle, June 9.

"Twice this Week have I had Occasion to write of the sundry Depredations committed in this County; the last, near Loudoun, was a heavy and bloody Stroke.——The Enemy, being closely pursued, killed their Prisoners on the Flight, to the Number of Six or Seven, then scattered, as usual, and made their Escape.——You will readily guess at the present Situation of our miserable and unhappy People, and the piercing Applications I must endure from every Quarter, crying for Help."

ANNAPOLIS, *June* 21.

A Death Warrant is gone down to *Calvert* County, for the Execution of Three Negroes, lately condemned for Poisoning their Master, Mr. *William Hamilton Smith*, whose Death we mention'd about a Month ago.

There came in from *England*, in the *Munificence*, Capt. *Grundill*, into *Patuxent*, a Steerage Passenger, one *Richard*, or *Richardson*, or some such Name, who imported a large Quantity of Counterfeit *New-Jersey* Six Shilling, and Three Shilling Bills. This silly Blockhead almost as soon as he Landed, was very lavish with his Paper Money, which first caused him to be suspected; tho' it is said his Roguery is but very badly executed. He is in Jail in *Calvert* County.

A few Days ago, a valuable Negro Man in *Queen-Anne's* County, Fishing in a Canoe, and being Fuddled, fell overboard, and was Drowned.

Sundry People having lately come to Town with Paper Currency of this Province, in order to exchange it at the Office for Bills of Exchange; it may not be amiss to inform the Public, That the Commissioners are not, by Act of Assembly, to exchange the Currency till after the 29th Day of *September* next.

THE Subscribers being impower'd to contract for the Repairing of the Publick Buildings in the City of ANNAPOLIS, desire any Person inclinable to undertake the same, to apply to any of us for a particular Information of the Work to be done, that he may be able to deliver in his Proposals, by the First Day of *July* next.

D. DULANY,
JOHN RIDOUT,
WALTER DULANY,
GEORGE STEUART,
B. T. B. WORTHINGTON.

To the Public.

IF JOSEPH WALTON be Living, and will apply to J. GREEN, Printer, he will hear of something worth enquiring for: If he be Dead, and any Body will give an Account of the Time, Place, &c. they shall have either a LIQUID or a PECUNIARY Reward, as they shall chuse. The best Information we can give relating to this Mr. *Walton*, which indeed is but a blind one, is, the Words of a Letter from *London*, dated about two Years ago, as follows, "*Joseph Walton* on the "10th of *November* 1742, was living with, or "well known to, one Mr. *William Denton*, who "lived on the South-side near *Joppain*, *Baltimore* "County, *Maryland*. This Mr. *Walton* has not "been heard of for near Twenty Years."

KENT-ISLAND, *June* 13, 1764.

I TAKE this Method of acquainting the Public, That I have lowered my FERRY, to and from *Annapolis*, to the following Terms, to take Place from the Date of this Advertisement.

A single Man Five Shillings.
If more than one, 3 Shillings and 9 Pence each.
Horses at Seven Shillings and Six Pence each.
An open Chair Seven Shillings and Six Pence.
A topp'd Chaise Ten Shillings.
A Four Wheel'd Carriage Fifteen Shillings.

As I have good Boats, skilful Hands, and exceeding good Pasturage, I hope my Friends will still continue their Favours. My Ferry hath this Advantage attending it, that the Passengers are not confined to any Day, but may pass and repass any Day and Hour in the Week.

JAMES HUTCHINGS.

THE Subscribers, now Prisoners for Debt in a loathsome Jail, in *Baltimore* County, and not having wherewith to satisfy their Creditors, hereby give this Notice, that they intend to apply to the next Session of Assembly for an Act for their Releasement.

DARBY HERNLY,
JOHN HUGHS.

June 1764.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, on Monday the 9th Day of July next, the Negroes following, belonging to the Estate of Mr. Robert Swan, Merchant, late of this City, Deceased,

NEGROES, consisting of Men, Women and one Boy, all young; among whom is one Negro Fellow, by Trade a Currier; also Household Furniture, Dry Goods, two Saddle Horses, and Riding Chair, the Time of a white Servant Woman, who has about 4½ Years to serve. Likewise, Scantling for the Frame of a House 32 by 16 Feet, with about 3000 Feet of Featheredge Plank, all well season'd. The Sale will begin at 3 o'Clock in the Afternoon, and Money, as passes Current, will be taken in pay. Those indebted to Mr. Swan, are desired to come and discharge the same, as they must not expect further Indulgence.

ROBERT COUDEN,
THOMAS RICHARDSON, } Executors.

Annapolis, June 20, 1764.

ABOUT Three Years ago, there was left with the Subscriber (which he received in *Virginia* from Capt. *Cuzzens*, in a Ship from Mr. *Anderson*) a Box of STATIONARY, mark'd R TE, N°. 4, [the TE join'd together in one] for one *Richard Ellsmore*. Enquiry has been diligently made; but no such Person can as yet be found. If the said *Ellsmore* be Living, and will apply for the said Box, or if he be Dead, his legal Representative; he or they may have the same, on producing a proper Title: But if no Body will apply, or no Intelligence be had about him, before Saturday the 28th Day of *July* next, they will then be Sold at Public Vendue, and the Purchase Money, after paying Charges, be retained for him, his Heirs or Assigns, in the Hands of

SAMUEL MIDDLETON.

N. B. The Box contains Paper, some Pocket-Books, Ink-Powder, Blank Books, &c. &c.

Annapolis, 18th *June*, 1764.

WHEREAS it has been represented to his Excellency the Governor by *William Hick*, of the *Lancashire* Furnace, in *Baltimore* County, That on Sunday the 27th of *May* about 11 o'Clock at Night, the Coal House, with a large Quantity of Charcoals, was burnt down, and that there is the strongest Reasons to suspect that the same was wilfully set on Fire by some wicked malicious Person or Persons yet unknown. His Excellency, for the Discovery of such Villainy, and bringing to condign Punishment any of the Parties concern'd therein, doth hereby Promise his Lordship's Pardon to any one of them, who shall Discover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices, in the said Fact, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

Signed per *Order*, J. ROSS, Cl. Con.

AND as a further Encouragement, the Subscriber doth Promise TWENTY POUNDS (*Pennsylvania* Currency) Reward, to any one who shall make a Discovery of any Person or Persons concerned in the above mentioned Villainy, so that he, she, or they, be brought to Justice, and convicted thereof.

WILLIAM HICK.

RIVINGTON *and* BROWN,

At the Corner of Market *and* Front Streets, *and opposite the* London Coffee-House, *have imported in the* Friendship, *Capt.* Walker, *from* London,

A GENERAL Collection of BOOKS and Stationary Wares, Hosiery, Boots and Shoes, Silk Umbrelloes, optical Machines, with Prospects finely coloured, Ladies and Gentlemens Pocket-Books of all Sorts and Prices, with or without Instruments, Pocket Prospect Glasses, best Compting-house Ivory Handle Penknives, *Barlow's*, 2 and 4 Blades Ditto, and Cutlery of most Sorts; and Sword Belts and Hangers, shaving Equipage, Powder-Horns and Shot Bags; Guitars, Violins, *German* Flutes, Fifes, and a compleat Assortment of Musick for either of the above Instruments.

WANTED,

A sober, honest LAD of creditable Parents, as an Apprentice. Enquire of Messrs. RIVINGTON and BROWN in *Philadelphia*.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER, living in St. Mary's *County, for Sterling Money,*

A TRACT of Land containing Two Hundred and Seventy Acres, upon *Cuckold-Creek* near *Patuxent* River, whereon is a good Dwelling House, Kitchen, and other Out-Houses, and two good Apple-Orchards, the Plantation in good Repair. Likewise a Grist Mill, adjoining the said Plantation, which has a constant Stream.

For Title and Terms apply to *Robert Fowke* on the Premises, or to RICHARD WIMSATT.

To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE, (and entered upon immediately) on Tuesday the 17th Day of July *next,*

A TRACT of LAND, now in the Poſſeſſion of *George Matthews*, containing 307 Acres, more or leſs, ſituate on the main Falls of *Patapſco*, in *Baltimore* County, on the great Road leading from *Pipe-Creek* to *Baltimore-Town*, diſtant from the latter about Twenty Miles, and on the higheſt Road thence from the greateſt Part of *Frederick*, *Cumberland*, and *York* Counties, on which is a choice Merchant MILL, with two Pair of Stones, and two Bolting Cloths, Hoiſting Gears, *&c.* all in good Order, a Dwelling Houſe and Barn, a conſiderable Quantity of cleared Land and Meadow, and a great deal more may be made.

The Sale to begin at 10 o'Clock in the Morning, and an indiſputable Title made to the Purchaſer, by

WILLIAM BUCHANAN,
BENJAMIN SWOPE,
WILLIAM MOORE.

George-Town, Frederick County, *June* 22, 1764.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER, to the higheſt Bidder, on Wedneſday the 22d of Auguſt *next, at the Houſe of Mr.* Arthur Charlton *in* Frederick-Town, *for Bills of Exchange, or Current Money,*

A VALUABLE TRACT of LAND, called *Belt's Buckle*, containing 690 Acres, lying about 30 Miles from *Frederick-Town*, contiguous to the Lands of *Michael Miller* and *George Coaler*, and near a Forge belonging to ———, well watered and wooded, and ſome Parts of it capable of being made into good Meadow.

Any Perſons inclinable to know the Title, before the Day of Sale, may be informed, by applying to

ROBERT PETER.

MR. *John Lake* of *Leonard-Town*, who rode a grey Horſe of mine to *Annapolis* laſt Week, exchanged him by Miſtake upon the Journey for another grey Horſe very like him, but ſomething larger, and Flea-bitten; I ſhould be obliged to the Perſon who has my Horſe, to let me know where I may ſend for him, and return the other; my Horſe has had one Side of his Mane lately trimmed.

I have a large Quantity of Tar and Turpentine, and ſome few Barrels of Pork, to diſpoſe of

June 11, 1764. THOMSON MASON.

Baltimore County, *Joppa*, *June* 18.

COMMITTED to the Jail of this County, as Runaways, the following, whoſe ſeveral Maſters are deſired to take them away, and pay Charges, *viz.*

John Smith; his Maſter, who lives on *Kent-Iſland*, took him out of this Priſon, on the 6th of *June*, and he was committed again on the 9th.

William Calls, ſays he is a Freeman, committed on the 12th. He is about 5 Feet 6 Inches high, ſays he is a Weaver: Has a light colour'd Coat, coarſe Shirt, old Leggings and Shoes.

And Three New Negroes. One calls himſelf *James*, is much mark'd about his Neck, and about 5 Feet 10 Inches high. Another calls himſelf *Harry*, is about 5 Feet 6 Inches high. The other calls himſelf *Pompey*, and is about 6 Feet high.

JOHN TAYLOR, Jailor.

Great-Pipe-Creek, Frederick County, *June* 19, 1764.

WHEREAS *Eſther Smyth*, Wife of the Subſcriber, hath Eloped from him: This is therefore to forewarn all Perſons not to Truſt her on his Account, for he will not Pay any Debt of her Contracting after the Date hereof.

MICHAEL SMYTH.

RAN away from Mr. *Joſhua Edmondſon*, living at *Vienna*, in *Dorcheſter* County, a Negro Fellow named *Glaſgow*, the Property of Mr. *Thomas Muir* in *Glaſgow*, and was left in Poſſeſſion of the Subſcriber, in the County aforeſaid, a thick well made Fellow, about 40 Years of Age, about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, and ſpeaks broken *Engliſh*: Had on when he went away, a blue Kerſey Jacket and Breeches, Country made Shirt, Yarn Stockings, old Shoes with Braſs Buckles, a blue *Scotch* Bonnet, and an old brown Cut Wig. He took with him two very good Frize Jackets, and a good brown Great Coat.

Whoever apprehends the ſaid Fellow, or ſecures him ſo that the Subſcriber may have him again, ſhall have Twenty Shillings Reward if taken out of the County, and if in the County Ten Shillings, paid by

CHARLES MOIR.

VIRGINIA, *June* 14, 1764.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, on Sunday the 10th paſt, an *Engliſh* Convict Servant Man, named *John Pricket*, he is about 25 Years of Age, a ſtout, well made Fellow, about 5 Feet 6 or 7 Inches high, round and full faced, of a ruddy Complexion, and wears his own black Hair tied behind: Had on when he went away, a white Shirt, a Violet colour'd Waiſtcoat, with yellow gilt Buttons, it has a Flap down the Breaſt, over the Button Holes, the Skirts of it lined with white Shalloon or Tammy, a browniſh colour'd old ſuperfine Broadcloth Coat, lined with Shalloon of the ſame Colour, with Mohair Buttons partly worn out, a Pair of Buckſkin Breeches, white Stockings, and Country made Shoes, lately half ſoaled. It is ſuſpected he has carried away other Clothes with him. He is a Joiner and Houſe-Carpenter, and pretends to underſtand the Wheelwright's Buſineſs.

Whoever brings the ſaid Servant to me, in *Staffford* County, ſhall have the above Reward.

WILLIAM BRENT.

SIX POUNDS REWARD.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, living in *Prince-George's* County, on the 12th of this Inſtant *June*, Two Convict Servant Men, and a Convict Servant Woman, *viz.*

William Hyley, about 5 Feet 6 Inches high, born in the Weſt of *England*, and came from *Liverpool*, has been in this Country about 4 Years, is of a dark Complexion, has a remarkable large Wen on the right Side of his Forehead, and is about 40 Years of Age: Had on and with him, a Snuff colour'd Thickſet Coat lined with brown Holland, and Breeches of the ſame as the Coat, a white Shirt, and a new Oſnabrig Ditto, 2 Pair of coarſe brown Linen Trowſers, Worſted Stockings, Country made Shoes, and a Felt Hat.

James Corri, alias *Court*, born in the County of *Kent* in *England*, is about 5 Feet 7 Inches high, of a dark Complexion, about 24 Years of Age, has an Oval Face, his Noſe has a caſt to one Side, and his right Foot turns in more than his Left, and he ſpeaks the *Kentiſh* Dialect: Had on an Oſnabrigs Shirt, coarſe brown Linen Trowſers, and an old Hat: He came in this Country in *February* laſt, in the *Neptune*, Capt. *Somervill*, ran away ſoon after, and hired himſelf as a Freeman to Dr. *Thomas Sprigg Wootton* in *Frederick* County, and was but lately brought home.

The Woman, named *Iſabella Watſon*, of a fair Complexion, ſandy colour'd Hair, has a round Face, much pitted with the Small-Pox, of a middling Stature, but thick, and about 25 Years of Age: Had on and with her, two black Petticoats, one Cotton Ditto, a black Stuff Gown, a coarſe brown Linen Apron, and one white Ditto, a black Silk Bonnet, a red Flannel ſhort Gown, blue Worſted Stockings, Country made Womens Pumps, a Necklace of large *French* Beads, 2 brown Sheeting Shifts, 1 white Ditto, Caps, a red flower'd *India* Silk Handkerchief, and ſundry other Things in a Check Linen Bag: She came in the ſame Ship with the above named *James Corri*. It is ſuppoſed they will all keep together, eſpecially the ſaid *Iſabella Watſon*, and the above deſcribed *Wm. Hyley*.

Whoever takes up the ſaid Servants, and brings them to their Maſter, or ſecures them in any Goal, and gives Notice thereof, ſo as he may hear of them ſoon after their Commitment, ſhall have Forty Shillings Reward for each, and if brought home, reaſonable Charges, paid by

John Frederick Auguſtus Priggs.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Benjamin Yieldall*, in *Anne-Arundel* County, taken up as a Stray, a Grey Horſe, about 12 Hands high, ſomewhat Flea-bitten, ſhod before, no perceivable Brand.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Zachariah Spicers* in *Anne-Arundel* County, taken up as a Stray, a dark Grey Horſe Colt, about 13 Hands high, has a Slit in his Ear, paces ſlow, and he is about three Years old.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Mary Giſſiſs*, near *Annapolis*, a Brindle Cow and Calf, the Cow is mark'd with an Under-Bit taken out of the left Ear, an Upper-Bit from the Right, and the End of it Crop; the Calf is unmark'd.

The Owner may have them again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of *John Francis*, in *Prince-George's* County, about 5 Miles from *Bladenſburg*, taken up as a Stray, an Iron-Grey Mare, about 12 Hands high, branded on the near Buttock thus ⌂.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Eliſabeth Sanders*, at *Herring-Creek* in *Anne-Arundel* County, a dark Brown Heifer, with a white Face, mark'd with a Crop and a Slit in each Ear, and is about three Years old.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

ALL Perſons Indebted to the Eſtate of Mr. *Joſeph Wilkinſon*, late of *Calvert* County, deceaſed, are deſired to come and ſettle before the laſt Day of *July* next, with Mr. *Benjamin Sedwick*, who is properly authorized, and will attend at *Hunting-Town* every Wedneſday, Friday, and Saturday, for that Purpoſe.

TO BE LET,

A CONVENIENT STORE-HOUSE in the ſaid Town, with a Compting-Room, having a good Fire Place in it.

BETTY WILKINSON, Adminiſtratrix.

JUST IMPORTED,

In the Fanny, *Capt.* Richard Lane, *from* London, *and to be Sold by the Subſcriber, at his Store in* ANNAPOLIS, *very Cheap, for Bills, Caſh, or Tobacco,*

GREAT Variety of *EUROPEAN* and *EAST-INDIA* GOODS, ſuitable to Summer and Winter Seaſons.

Alſo may be had as uſual, Wine, Rum, Melaſſes, Raiſins, Rice, Coffee, Chocolate, Loaf and Brown Sugar, ſome very fine *Maryland* Barrell'd Pork, *&c. &c.*

NATHAN HAMMOND.

FOUR PISTOLES REWARD.

RAN away on the 23d of *May* laſt from Mr. *Arnold Livers's*, in *St. Mary's* County, an Indented Servant Man named *Peter Roſe*, by Trade a Painter, was born in *Guernſey*, ſpeaks *French*, and very bad *Engliſh*, is of middle Stature, and dark Complexion. Had on when he went away, a Suit of blue *German* Serge Clothes almoſt new. It is ſuppoſed he will endeavour to get acroſs the Bay, and make towards *Philadelphia*.

Whoever apprehends the ſaid Servant, and will deliver him to Mr. *Arnold Livers*, in *St. Mary's* County, to Mr. *Henry Bradford*, in *Charles* County, or to the Subſcriber at *Piſcataway*, in *Prince-George's* County, ſhall receive the above Reward.

BENJAMIN DAWSON.

To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE, at the Houſe of the Subſcriber, near Weſt-River, *on Friday the 22d Day of* June,

TWO Negro Women, Two Negro Girls, a Leather Couch, one large Walnut Table, and a large Braſs Kettle. ELIZABETH SMITH.

N. B. The Negroes will be ſold for Sterling; the other Things for Currency as regulated by the Inſpection Law.

WANTED at BLADENSBURG,

A DANCING-MASTER to keep School, where he may be ſure of meeting with good Encouragement.

Cuſtom-Houſe, London, 15th *Nov.* 1763.

THE Honourable Commiſſioners of his Majeſty's Cuſtoms, having been inform'd that Compoſitions have been frequently enter'd into for the Duties impoſed by the Act of 6 *Geo.* II. payable to his Majeſty at the Ports of *America*, give this Public Notice, That whoever will make Diſcovery of any Perſon or Perſons, who ſhall have been guilty of entering into, or conniving at, ſuch Compoſitions, to *John Temple*, Eſqi or *Peter Randolph*, Eſqi Surveyors-General of his Majeſty's Cuſtoms in *North-America*, or other principal Officer of his Majeſty's Cuſtoms, the Collector, or Comptroller, of any Port, except the Port where ſuch Fraud was enter'd into, ſo that the Parties offending may be convicted thereof, and the Duties recover'd to the Crown, ſhall receive One Third Part of the Duties ſo recover'd.

By Order of the Honourable the Commiſſioners of his Majeſty's Cuſtoms,

ROBERT HERON, *Collector*,
PORT Pocomoke *in* Maryland,
March 13, 1764.

...ther that the Skins of his Cattle & Hides were cut and scalped. Just they were running towards him, which obliged him to throw away his Gun, and make for the Fort, but they hit off from that, & he must run immediately down to the Inhabitants, and, after a twelve Hours Chace, he got clear of them. How many People they have killed, I have not yet learnt.

From Shippensburgh we have Advice, that the young Woman, who was lately made Prisoner at the Mouth of Aughwick, made her Escape the next Evening after she was taken: That on Sunday, the Third Instant, the Indians killed one William Crow, about 25 Miles from Shippensburgh, and carried off his Wife and four Children, Prisoners: That in a Day was milking a Cow, about a Mile from said Crow's, he saw an Indian crawling towards him, upon which he went into the House, took a Gun, and fired at him, about 80 Yards Distance, which made the Fellow stagger, when another immediately came up, and helped the wounded One off: And that this Party of Indians was said to consist of twelve.

Extract of a Letter from Fort Pitt, June 1, 1764.

"The Corporal and four Men, who went with the last Returns to Ligonier, are not yet returned, and I am in some Pain about them, as the Savages begin now to discover themselves round the Skirts of the Woods.——On the 27th of May, in the Morning, a Soldier of the 42d Regiment was fired at, as he was guarding Cattry, upon the Point of Grant's Hill; this Cattry was detached from a Corporal's Guard, which was at that Morning to cover the Ploughs at Work in Captain Philips's Field; the the Centry was mortally wounded, he made his Escape, but died in about two Hours after he came into the Fort.——That Party of Indians (Nine in Number) remained lurking on the Point of the Hill, till the Picquet was more than Half-way up to them, and then they ran off into the Woods, and the Picquet returned into the Fort.——At Night, between the Hours of Nine and Ten, the whole Garrison heard fourteen Death Hallo's on the other Side of the Allegheny River.——On the 28th, in the Morning, two Indians were seen upon the Point of Grant's Hill; and in the Afternoon of the same Day, five of the Enemy were seen by the Picquet on the Face of the Encampment Hill.——On the 29th a Shot was heard towards the Two Mile Run, not far from the Road leading to Ligonier.——The 30th, in the Afternoon, two Indians were again seen upon the Point of Grant's Hill, just above the Ligonier Road; and late in the Evening, two Horses, with Bells, and some Indians with them, were seen on the opposite Side of the Allegheny.——All those Circumstances put together, make us imagine that the Savages are assembling to infest the Communication, though, I believe, not in such Numbers as to dare to molest the Troops coming up against them.——The Commanding Officers at Ligonier and Bedford, have had Notice of the above.——We are very safe here, but imagining it is the Power of all the Savages to molest us.

Our Advices from Carlisle, of the Fourth Instant are, That a Man was found dead and scalped, in the Road between Lowdoun and Shippen's Town: That at Bedford one Man had been killed, and another carried off: That at Fort Littleton one Man was wounded: And that the Roads were much infested by the Enemy.

Extract of a Letter from Fort Cumberland, June 5.

"On the 26th ult. a large Body of Indians fell on a Party of White People, working in a Field near Fort Dinwiddie, in Augusta County, Virginia, when they killed Fifteen, and wounded and took Sixteen more; they then attacked the Fort, and fired for about Half an Hour incessantly on it, but could not prevail.——This Day I received an Express from Col. Stephens, who informs me, that on the Fourth Instant Captain Nimrod Ashby, and a Man of the Virginia Volunteers, were taken Prisoners on the South Branch of Potowmack.——The same Day a Negro Fellow, belonging to one Lynch, was taken as he was driving a Waggon; the Horses were killed, and the Waggon broke to Pieces.——Also, at the same time, a Man, his Wife, and Child, were carried off from Sholes-Creek, within two Miles of Winchester; and it is supposed, by the great Number of Tracks discovered about there must be three or four large Bodies of the Enemy now down among us; the Inhabitants are chiefly gone away, or going."

Extract of a Letter from Virginia, June 4.

"The Situation of our Frontiers is truly distressing.——The Indians killing and captivating daily.——About eight Days past, upwards of forty Persons were killed at the Fort-Run, on the Frontiers of Augusta County.——We were hopeful our Troubles were in some Measure over; but, to our Surprize, the Indians came on Friday last, about seven Miles from me, and took one Day's Wife, and four Children. Next Morning, about Sun-rise, four Families going to a Fort with Horses loaded, the Indians Way-laid them, and killed and captivated 21, whose Names were Lloyd, and his Family, Closner, Jones, Thomas, &c. This Morning, about Two o'Clock, I was informed that about Sun-set Yesterday, six Families were cut off near the Narrow Passage. Two Companies of Men are gone after the Enemy, to re-take the Captives, if possible, of which there are as yet no Accounts."

Extract of a Letter from Fort Loudoun, June 3, 1764.

"Last Week several Indian Tracks were seen in the Woods betwixt this Place and Juniata. Some few of the Inhabitants, who had gone to their Plantations on that Creek, to low Corn, were attacked by a Party of Indians; one of whom was killed, but on the others returning the Fire, the Indians went off; they carried a Woman with them, that they had taken the Evening before.——On the 31st of this Month a Man at Mr. Armstrong's Plantation, about Half a Mile from this Fort, who went in the Morning to look after his Cattle, was fired on, and shot thro' the Arm, but did not see them who fired on him.——Next Day, about Six Miles below this Fort, a Man was killed and scalped, his Wife, and four small Children, carried off.——Parties followed their Tracks to the Mountain, but there lost them.——This Day, about Eleven o'Clock, one of the Inhabitants came to inform me, that about four Miles down the Creek, three miles this Place, three Families were cut off, and their Habitations burnt.——I immediately sent an Officer with a strong Party, along with a Number of the Inhabitants, armed, to endeavour coming up with the Indians, or to make Discovery. He is just returned, and acquaints me, that three Families, consisting of 13 Persons, were killed, their Houses burnt down, and that several of the dead Bodies were found in the Ruins, almost burnt to Ashes, which he buried; he afterwards made a large Circuit in the Woods, without discovering any Track of the Enemy; but found a few Things that belonged to the Killed, which the Indians had taken away. Some of the Inhabitants are still in Pursuit, but am afraid there is little Probability of Success, as the Tracks were very indistinct.——One Lad escaped; he says the Indian Party was about Twenty; that they fired several Shot after him; and that he saw his Father and Mother knocked down with Tomahawks, before he ran off. These Alarms have intimidated the Inhabitants extremely; they are returning from their Plantations in Crowds to this, and every other little Post in the Neighbourhood, in the utmost Distress. I shall do every thing in my Power to support them, and alleviate their Misery."

Several Persons were likewise made Prisoners.

Extract of a Letter from Carlisle, June 9.

"Twice this Week have I had Occasion to write of the sundry Depredations committed in this County; the last, near Loudoun, was a heavy and bloody Stroke.——The Enemy, being closely pursued, killed their Prisoners on the Flight, to the Number of Six or Seven, then scattered, as usual, and made their Escape.——You will readily guess at the present Situation of our miserable and unhappy People, and the piercing Applications I must endure from every Quarter, crying for Help."

ANNAPOLIS, June 21.

A Death Warrant is gone down to *Calvert* County, for the Execution of Three Negroes, lately condemned for Poisoning their Master, Mr. *William Hamilton Smith*, whose Death we mention'd about a Month ago.

There came in from *England*, in the *Munificents*, Capt. *Grubdill*, into *Patuxent*, a Steerage Passenger, one *Richard*, or *Richardson*, or some such Name, who imported a large Quantity of Counterfeit *New-Jersey* Six Shilling, and Three Shilling Bills. This silly Blockhead almost as soon as he Landed, was very lavish with his Paper Money, which first caused him to be suspected; tho' it is said his Roguery is but very badly executed. He is in Jail in *Calvert* County.

A few Days ago, a valuable Negro Man in *Queen-Anne's* County, Fishing in a Canoe, and being Fuddled, fell overboard, and was Drowned.

Sundry People having lately come to Town with Paper Currency of this Province, in order to exchange it at the Office for Bills of Exchange; it may not be amiss to inform the Public, That the Commissioners are not, by Act of Assembly, to exchange the Currency till after the 29th Day of *September* next.

THE Subscribers being impower'd to contract for the Repairing of the Publick Buildings in the City of ANNAPOLIS, desire any Person inclinable to undertake the same, to apply to any of us for a particular Information of the Work to be done, that he may be able to deliver in his Proposals, by the First Day of *July* next.

D. DULANY,
JOHN RIDOUT,
WALTER DULANY,
GEORGE STEUART,
B. T. B. WORTHINGTON.

To the Public.

IF JOSEPH WALTON be Living, and will apply to J. GREEN, Printer, he will hear of something worth enquiring for: If he be Dead, and any Body will give an Account of the Time, Place, &c. they shall have either a LIQUID or a PECUNIARY Reward, as they shall chuse. The best Information we can give relating to this Mr. *Walton*, which indeed is but a blind one, is, the Words of a Letter from *London*, dated about two Years ago, as follows, "*Joseph Walton* on the "10th of *November* 1742, was living with, or "well known to, one Mr. *William Denton*, who "lived on the South-side near *Toppain*, *Baltimore* "County, *Maryland*. This Mr. *Walton* has not "been heard of for near Twenty Years."

KENT-ISLAND, June 13, 1764.

I TAKE this Method of acquainting the Public, That I have lowered my FERRY, to and from *Annapolis*, to the following Terms, to take Place from the Date of this Advertisement.

A single Man Five Shillings.
If more than one, 3 Shillings and 9 Pence each.
Horses at Seven Shillings and Six Pence each.
An open Chair Seven Shillings and Six Pence.
A topp'd Chaise Ten Shillings.
A Four Wheel'd Carriage Fifteen Shillings.

As I have good Boats, skilful Hands, and exceeding good Pasturage, I hope my Friends will still continue their Favours. My Ferry hath this Advantage attending it, that the Passengers are not confined to any Day, but may pass and repass any Day and Hour in the Week.

JAMES HUTCHINGS.

THE Subscribers, now Prisoners for Debt in a loathsome Jail, in *Baltimore* County, and not having wherewith to satisfy their Creditors, hereby give this Notice, that they intend to apply to the next Session of Assembly for an Act for their Relesement.

DARBY HERBERT,
JOHN HUGHS.

June 1764.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE,

on Monday the 9th Day of July next, the Goods following, belonging to the Estate of Mr. Robert Swan, Merchant, late of this City, Deceased,

NEGROES, consisting of Men, Women and one Boy, all young; among whom is one Negro Fellow, by Trade a Currier; also Houshold Furniture, Dry Goods, two Saddle Horses, and Riding Chair, the Time of a white Servant Woman, who has about 4½ Years to serve. Likewise, Seasoning for the Frame of a House 32 by 16 Feet, with about 3000 Feet of Featheredge Plank, all well season'd. The Sale will begin at 3 o'Clock in the Afternoon, and Money, as passes Current, will be taken in pay. Those indebted to Mr. *Swan*, are desired to come and discharge the same, as they must not expect further Indulgence.

ROBERT COUDEN,
THOMAS RICHARDSON, } Executors.

Annapolis, June 20, 1764.

ABOUT Three Years ago, there was left with the Subscriber (which he received in *Virginia* from Capt. *Cawsons*, in a Ship from Mr. *Anderson*) a Box of STATIONARY, marked R TE, N°. 4, [the TE join'd together is one] for one *Richard Ellmore*. Enquiry has been diligently made; but no such Person can as yet be found. If the said *Ellmore* be Living, and will apply for the said Box, or if he be Dead, his legal Representative, he or they may have the same, on producing a proper Title. But if no Body will apply, or no Intelligence be had about him, before Saturday the 28th Day of *July* next, they will then be Sold at Public Vendue, and the Purchase Money, after paying Charges, be retained for him, his Heirs or Assigns, in the Hands of

SAMUEL MIDDLETON.

N. B. The Box contains Paper, some Pocket-Books, Ink-Powder, Blank Books, &c. &c.

Annapolis, 18th June, 1764.

WHEREAS it has been represented to His Excellency the Governor by *William Hick*, of the *Lancashire* Furnace, in *Baltimore* County, That on Sunday the 27th of *May* about 11 o'Clock at Night, the Coal House, with a large Quantity of Charcoals, was burnt down, and that there is the strongest Reasons to suspect that the same was wilfully set on Fire by some wicked malicious Person or Persons yet unknown. His Excellency, for the Discovery of such Villainy, and bringing to condign Punishment any of the Parties concern'd therein, doth hereby Promise his Lordship's Pardon to any one of them, who shall Discover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices, in the said Fact, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

Signed per Order, J. ROSS, Cl. Con.

AND as a further Encouragement, the Subscriber doth Promise TWENTY POUNDS (*Pennsylvania* Currency) Reward, to any one who shall make a Discovery of any Person or Persons concerned in the above mentioned Villainy, so that he, she, or they, be brought to Justice, and convicted thereof.

WILLIAM HICK.

RIVINGTON and BROWN,

At the Corner of Market *and* Front Streets, *and opposite the* London Coffee-House, *have Imported in the* Friendship, *Capt.* Walker, *from* London,

A GENERAL Collection of BOOKS and Stationary Wares, Hosiery, Boots and Shoes, Silk Umbrelloes, optical Machines, with Prospects finely coloured, Ladies and Gentlemens Pocket-Books of all Sorts and Prices, with or without Instruments, Pocket Prospect Glasses, best Camping-house Ivory Handle Penknives, *Barlow's*, 2 and 4 Blades Ditto, and Cutlery of most Sorts; neat Sword Belts and Hangers, having Equipage, Powder-Horns and Shot Bags; Guitars, Violins, *German* Flutes, Fifes, and a compleat Assortment of Musick for either of the above Instruments.

WANTED,

A sober, honest LAD of creditable Parents, as an Apprentice. Enquire of Messrs. RIVINGTON and BROWN in *Philadelphia*.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER, living in St. Mary's County, for Sterling Money,

A TRACT of Land containing Two Hundred and Seventy Acres, upon *Cockrell's-Quarter* near *Patuxent* River, whereon is a good Dwelling House, Kitchen, and other Out-Houses, and two good Apple-Orchards. The Plantation is in good Repair. Likewise a Grist Mill, adjoining the Plantation, which has a constant Stream.

For Title and Terms apply to *Robert Forrest* on the Premises, or to RICHARD WILKEY.

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To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE, (and entered upon immediately) on Tuesday the 17th Day of July next,

A TRACT of LAND, now in the Poſſeſſion of *George Matthews*, containing 307 Acres, more or leſs, ſituate on the main Falls of *Patapſco*, in *Baltimore* County, on the great Road leading from *Pipe Creek* to *Baltimore-Town*, diſtant from the latter about Twenty Miles, and on the nigheſt Road thence from the greateſt Part of *Frederick*, *Cumberland*, and *York* Counties; on which is a choice Merchant MILL, with two Pair of Stones, and two Bolting Cloths, Hoiſting Gears, &c. all in good Order, a Dwelling Houſe and Barn, a conſiderable Quantity of cleared Land and Meadow, and a great deal more may be made.

The Sale to begin at 10 o'Clock in the Morning, and an indiſputable Title made to the Purchaſer, by

WILLIAM BUCHANAN,
BENJAMIN SWOPE,
WILLIAM MOORE.

George-Town, Frederick County, *June* 22, 1764.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER, to the higheſt Bidder, on Wedneſday the 22d of Auguſt next, at the Houſe of Mr. Arthur Charlton in Frederick-Town, for Bills of Exchange, or Current Money,

A VALUABLE TRACT of LAND, called *Belt's Buckle*, containing 600 Acres, lying about 30 Miles from *Frederick-Town*, contiguous to the Lands of *Michael Miller* and *George Coaler*, and near a Forge belonging to _____, well watered and wooded, and ſome Parts of it capable of being made into good Meadow.

Any Perſons inclinable to know the Title, before the Day of Sale, may be informed, by applying to

ROBERT PETER.

MR. *John Lake* of *Leonard-Town*, who rode a grey Horſe of mine to *Annapolis* laſt Week, exchanged him by Miſtake upon the Journey for another grey Horſe very like him, but ſomething larger, and Flea-bitten; I ſhould be obliged to the Perſon who has my Horſe, to let me know where I may ſend for him, and return the other; my Horſe has had one Side of his Mane lately trimmed.

I have a large Quantity of Tar and Turpentine, and ſome few Barrels of Pork, to diſpoſe of

June 11, 1764. THOMSON MASON.

Baltimore County, *Joppa*, *June* 18.

COMMITTED to the Jail of this County, as Runaways, the following, whoſe ſeveral Maſters are deſired to take them away, and pay Charges, *viz.*

John Smith; his Maſter, who lives on *Kent-Iſland*, took him out of this Priſon, on the 6th of *June*, and he was committed again on the 9th.

William Calls, ſays he is a Freeman, committed on the 12th. He is about 5 Feet 6 Inches high, ſays he is a Weaver: Has a light colour'd Coat, coarſe Shirt, old Leggings and Shoes.

And Three New Negroes. One calls himſelf *James*, is much mark'd about his Neck, and about 5 Feet 10 Inches high. Another calls himſelf *Harry*, is about 5 Feet 6 Inches high. The other calls himſelf *Pompey*, and is about 6 Feet high.

JOHN TAYLOR, Jailor.

Great-Pipe-Creek, Frederick County, *June* 19, 1764.

WHEREAS *Eſther Smith*, Wife of the Subſcriber, hath Eloped from him: This is therefore to forewarn all Perſons not to Truſt her on his Account, for he will not Pay any Debt of her Contracting after the Date hereof.

MICHAEL SMITH.

RAN away from Mr. *Joſhua Edmonſton*, living at *Vienna*, in *Dorcheſter* County, a Negro Fellow named *Glaſgow*, the Property of Mr. *Thomas Muir* in *Glaſgow*, and was left in Poſſeſſion of the Subſcriber, in the County aforeſaid, a thick well made Fellow, about 40 Years of Age, about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, and ſpeaks broken *Engliſh*: Had on when he went away, a blue Kerſey Jacket and Breeches, Country made Shirt, Yarn Stockings, old Shoes with Braſs Buckles, a blue *Scotch* Bonnet, and an old brown Cut Wig. He took with him two very good Freze Jackets, and a good brown Great Coat.

Whoever apprehends the ſaid Fellow, or ſecures him ſo that the Subſcriber may have him again, ſhall have Twenty Shillings Reward if taken out of the County, and if in the County Ten Shillings, paid by

CHARLES MUIR.

Vienna, *June* 15, 1764.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, on Sunday the 10th inſt. an *Engliſh* Convict Servant Man, named *John Pridee*, he is about 25 Years of Age, a ſtout, well made Fellow, about 5 Feet 6 or 7 Inches high, round and full faced, of a ruddy Complexion, and wears his own black Hair tied behind: Had on when he went away, a white Shirt, a Violet colour'd Waiſtcoat, with yellow gilt Buttons, it has a Flap down the Breaſt, over the Button Holes, the Skirts of it lined with white Shalloon or Tammy, a brownifh colour'd old ſuperfine Broadcloth Coat, lined with Shalloon of the ſame Colour, with Mohair Buttons partly worn out, a Pair of Buckſkin Breeches, white Stockings, and Country made Shoes, lately half ſoaled. It is ſuſpected he has carried away other Cloathes with him. He is a Joiner and Houſe-Carpenter, and pretends to underſtand the Wheelwright's Buſineſs.

Whoever brings the ſaid Servant to me, in *Staffford* County, ſhall have the above Reward.

Wm. WILLIAM BARNT.

SIX POUNDS REWARD.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, living in *Prince-George's* County, on the 12th of this Inſtant *June*, Two Convict Servant Men, and a Convict Servant Woman, *viz.*

William Hyley, about 5 Feet 6 Inches high, born in the Weſt of *England*, and came from *Liverpool*, has been in this Country about 4 Years, is of a dark Complexion, has a remarkable large Wen on the right Side of his Forehead, and is about 40 Years of Age: Had on and with him, a Snuff colour'd Thickſet Coat lined with brown Holland, and Breeches of the ſame as the Coat, a white Shirt, and a new Oſnabrig Ditto, 2 Pair of coarſe brown Linen Trowſers, Worſted Stockings, Country made Shoes, and a Felt Hat.

James Corrt, alias *Court*, born in the County of *Kent* in *England*, is about 5 Feet 7 Inches high, of a dark Complexion, about 24 Years of Age, has an Oval Face, his Noſe has a caſt to one Side, and his right Foot turns in more than his Left, and he ſpeaks the *Kentiſh* Dialect: Had on an Oſnabrigs Shirt, coarſe brown Linen Trowſers, and an old Hat: He came in this Country in *February* laſt, in the *Neptune*, Capt. *Somervill*, ran away ſoon after, and hired himſelf as a Freeman to Dr. *Thomas Sprigg Wootton* in *Frederick* County, and was but lately brought home.

The Woman, named *Iſabella Watſon*, of a fair Complexion, ſandy colour'd Hair, has a round Face, much pitted with the Small-Pox, of a middling Stature, but thick, and about 25 Years of Age: Had on and with her, two black Petticoats, one Cotton Ditto, a black Stuff Gown, a coarſe brown Linen Apron, and one white Ditto, a black Silk Bonnet, a red Flannel ſhort Gown, blue Worſted Stockings, Country made Womens Pumps, a Necklace of large *French* Beads, 2 brown Sheeting Shifts, 1 white Ditto, Caps, a red flower'd *India* Silk Handkerchief, and ſundry other Things in a Check Linen Bag: She came in the ſame Ship with the above named *James Corrt*. It is ſuppoſed they will all keep together, eſpecially the ſaid *Iſabella Watſon*, and the above deſcribed *Wm. Hyley*.

Whoever takes up the ſaid Servants, and brings them to their Maſter, or ſecures them in any Goal, and gives Notice thereof, ſo as he may hear of them ſoon after their Commitment, ſhall have Forty Shillings Reward for each, and if brought home, reaſonable Charges, paid by

John Frederick Auguſtus Prigg.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Benjamin Nicholl*, in *Anne-Arundel* County, taken up as a Stray, a Grey Horſe, about 12 Hands high, ſomewhat Flea-bitten, ſhod before, no perceivable Brand.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Zachariah Spicers* in *Anne-Arundel* County, taken up as a Stray, a dark Grey Horſe Colt, about 13 Hands high, has a Slit in his Ear, paces ſlow, and ſo is about three Years old.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Mary Gilliſs*, near *Annapolis*, a Brindle Cow and Calf, the Cow is mark'd with an Under-bit and a Slit in the left Ear, an Upper-bit from the Right: and the Kind of it Creſt: the Calf is unmark'd.

The Owner may have them again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of *John Sprigg Stone*, in *Prince-George's* County, about 5 Miles from *Bladensburg*, taken up as a Stray, a Bay Mare, Grey Mane and Tail, about 12 Hands high, branded on the near Buttock thus O.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Elizabeth Sanders*, at *Herring-Creek* in *Anne-Arundel* County, a dark Brown Heifer, with a white Face, mark'd with a Crop and a Slit in each Ear, and is about three Years old.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

ALL Perſons Indebted to the Eſtate of Mr. *Joſeph Williſon*, late of *Calvert* County, deceaſed, are deſired to come and ſettle before the laſt Day of *July* next, with Mr. *Benjamin Sedwick*, who is properly authorized, and will attend at *Hunting-Town* every Wedneſday, Friday, and Saturday, for that Purpoſe.

TO BE LET,

A CONVENIENT STORE-HOUSE in the ſaid Town, with a Compting-Room, having a good Fire Place in it.

BETTY WILKINSON, Adminiſtratrix.

JUST IMPORTED,

In the Fanny, *Capt.* Richard Lane, *from London, and to be Sold by the Subſcriber, at his Store in* ANNAPOLIS, *very Cheap, for Bills, Caſh, or Tobacco*,

GREAT Variety of *EUROPEAN* and *EAST-INDIA* GOODS, ſuitable to Summer and Winter Seaſons.

Alſo may be had as uſual, Wine, Rum, Melaſſes, Raiſins, Rice, Coffee, Chocolate, Loaf and Brown Sugar, ſome very fine *Maryland* Barrell'd Pork, *&c. &c.* NATHAN HAMMOND.

FOUR PISTOLES REWARD.

RAN away on the 23d of *May* laſt from Mr. *Arnold Livers'*, in *St. Mary's* County, an Indented Servant Man named *Peter Roſe*, by Trade a Painter, was born in *Guernſey*, ſpeaks *French* and very bad *Engliſh*, is of middle Stature, and dark Complexion. Had on when he went away, a Suit of blue *Germain* Serge Cloths almoſt new. It is ſuppoſed he will endeavour to get acroſs the Bay, and make towards *Philadelphia*.

Whoever apprehends the ſaid Servant, and will deliver him to Mr. *Arnold Livers*, in *St. Mary's* County, to Mr. *Henry Bradfield*, in *Charles* County, or to the Subſcriber at *Piſcataway*, in *Prince-George's* County, ſhall receive the above Reward.

BENJAMIN HANSON.

To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE, at the Houſe of the Subſcriber, near Weſt-River, on Friday the 22d Day of June,

TWO Negro Women, Two Negro Girls, a Leather Couch, one large Walnut Table, and a large Braſs Kettle. ELIZABETH SMITH.

N. B. The Negroes will be ſold for Sterling or the other Things for Currency as regulated by the Inſpection Law.

WANTED at BLADENSBURG,

A DANCING-MASTER to keep Scholars, where he may be ſure of meeting with good Encouragement.

Cuſtom-Houſe, London, 15th *Nov.* 1763.

THE Honourable Commiſſioners of his Majeſty's Cuſtoms, having been informed that Compoſitions have been frequently taken for the Duties impoſed by the Act of 6 *Geo.* II. payable to his Majeſty at the Ports of *America*, give this Public Notice, That whoever will make Diſcovery of any Perſon or Perſons, who ſhall have been guilty of entering into, or concluding ſuch Compoſitions, to *John Temple*, Eſq; or *Peter Randolph*, Eſq; Surveyors-General of his Majeſty's Cuſtoms in *North-America*, or other principal Officer of his Majeſty's Cuſtoms, the Collector, or Comptroller, of any Port, whereat the Fact whereby ſuch Fraud was entered into, ſo that the Perſon offending may be proſecuted thereof, and the Penalties recover'd to the Crown, ſhall receive One Third Part of the Duties ſo recover'd.

By Order of the Honourable the Commiſſioners of his Majeſty's Cuſtoms,

ROBERT HERON, Solicitor.

Poſt-Maſters in Maryland,

Annapolis, March 15, 1764.

June 14, 1764.

FOR BARBADOS,

THE Brigantine *Free Mason*, now lying at ANNAPOLIS, a prime Sailer, with good Accommodations for Paſſengers, will ſail in a Fortnight. For Freight or Paſſage, apply to

CHARLES WALLACE, & Co.

Worceſter County, *May* 30, 1764.

TEN PISTOLES REWARD.

RAN away from *Deep Creek* Iron-Works, near the Head of *Nanticoke* River, a Servant Man named *John Abdell*, about 35 Years of Age, about 5 Feet 6 Inches high, born in this Country, wears his Hair, which is of a brown Colour, thin Viſage, and down Look. Had on and took with him, an old brown Cloth Coat, with white Metal Buttons, an old Jacket without Sleeves, the fore Parts green, Check and Oſnabrigs Shirts, Trowſers, old Shoes and Buckles.

Likewiſe, Ran away from his Bail, *John Severas*, or *Sullivan*, upwards of 40 Years of Age, of middle Stature, Pock mark'd, wore black curled Hair, was born in the Weſt of *England*, and ſpeaks broad, is much given to Drink, and pretends to be well acquainted with driving a Team. Had on and with him, a new Hat, a new deep blue Cloth Coat, Check Shirts, Leather Breeches, Check Trowſers, good Shoes, a Callico, or ſtamped Linen Jacket.

They went off by Water, and 'tis thought intend for *Carolina* or *Virginia*.

Whoever takes up and ſecures them, ſo that they may be had again, ſhall have the above Reward, or Five Piſtoles for either, paid by

JONATHAN VAUGHAN,
WILLIAM DOUGLASS.

JUST IMPORTED

In the Friendſhip, *Capt.* Young, *from* BARBADOS,

A PARCEL of very good RUM and SUGAR; and I have ſome Cane Spirit, and very fine ſtrong old Rum, equal to the Spirit, to be Sold at my Stores on *Patuxent* and *Patowmack*, for Bills, Caſh, Tobacco, or Country Produce.

THE *Mary & Eliſabeth*, Capt. *Hargs*, is arrived, and now lies at *George-Town*, the Head of *Patowmack*, to load Tobacco conſign'd to Mr. *John Buchanan* of *London*, at Seven Pounds *per* Ton Freight. I ſhall order Inſurance at Six Pounds *per* Hogſhead. This is a very good new Veſſel, and great Part of her Load being ready, ſhe will be quickly loaded, and go home in the Summer Seaſon to an early Market. Thoſe who intend to ſhip Tobacco on board her, are deſired to give ſpeedy Orders; and alſo, all who are Indebted to me, and expect me to take Tobacco in Payment, are deſired to let me have it in Time for this Veſſel.

STEPHEN WEST.

JUST IMPORTED,

In the Brigantine Free-Maſon, *Capt.* Robert Bryce, *from* BARBADOS,

A LARGE Quantity of RUM and *Muſcovado* SUGAR, which will be Sold very reaſonable, for Caſh or Bills, by

CHARLES WALLACE, & Co.

Claret, and white Port Wine, in Bottles, old Coffee, and Cocoa Nuts, may be had at the ſame Place.

To be SOLD by the Subſcriber in ANNAPOLIS,

A SMALL Quantity of SHIP BREAD, and a few Firkins of *Iriſh* BUTTER.

The Subſcriber likewiſe gives this Public Notice to any Maſter of a Veſſel, that may be bound to *Hiſpaniola* or *Boſton*, that by applying to him in *Annapolis*, he may hear of a Freight worth while.

EDMUND RUTLAND.

To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE, at Thomas Point in Herring Bay, where William Wells *formerly lived, on Saturday the 30th Day of June, for Sterling Caſh, Bills of Exchange, or Current Money,*

A PARCEL of likely, healthy, Country-born NEGROES, chiefly Young.

HARRISON LANE.

A YOUNG WOMAN of unblemiſhed Character, and liberal Education, would be glad to undertake the Inſtruction of young Ladies in a Gentleman's Family, or the Employment of a Houſe-Keeper. Enquire at the Printing-Office.

To be SOLD, purſuant to the Laſt Will and Teſtament of BENJAMIN FENDALL, *Eſq; deceaſed, at PUBLIC VENDUE, on the 10th of* July *next, on the Premiſes, for Sterling Money, or good Bills of Exchange,*

THE Tract of LAND whereon the Deceaſed lately lived, and another Tract adjoining thereto (both containing about 390 Acres) lying in *Charles* County, on *Patowmack* River, near the Naval Office; whereon is a large and commodious Brick Dwelling-Houſe, with Four Rooms, a large Paſſage and Cloſets on a Floor; the Chambers are divided in the ſame Manner above Stairs, and underneath are Cellars the Bigneſs of the Houſe, divided by Brick Partitions as above, all compleatly finiſhed; a Brick Kitchen, a Brick Dairy, Stables, Corn Houſe, Tobacco and Cow Houſes, Quarters, and many other convenient Houſes; a good Garden and Yard paled in. The Soil is moſtly very good, part thereof a fine firm Marſh, ſome Meadow Ground already cleared, and much more to clear. It is a very pleaſant and valuable Seat, and many Advantages attending it: One is the Conveniency of keeping a Ferry to *Hot's*, *&c.* much frequented, and well known to Travellers. And there is now a Houſe built at the Landing for a Tenant, which, together with the Ferry, *&c.* Rents for Fifty Pounds Currency *per Annum*. Alſo the Water Mills on *Allen's Freſh* in the ſaid County, with Twenty Acres of Land condemned by *Ad Quod Damnum*, to build them on; there are three Pair of Stones of the beſt *Colegn* Grit, two Pair in one Houſe, which was repaired about ſix Months ago. The ſingle Mill is newly built, and good Workmanſhip, all on the ſame Dam, and not ſixty Yards apart, a Brick Bake Houſe 30 by 16 Feet, with a good Oven, large enough to bake 150 *lbs.* of Ship Bread at once, a Store Houſe, Grainary, and Dwelling Houſes, for Millers, *&c.* Likewiſe, A Tract of Land about two Miles from the ſaid Mills, containing by Patent 47 Acres; it is a rich Soil, and full of good Timber. Any Perſon that is inclinable to purchaſe, may, at any Time, view the Land, Houſes, *&c.* by applying to the Overſeer there; or the Mills, *&c.* by applying to the Millers; who have Orders to ſhew every Thing pertinent to the Premiſes. Alſo, at the ſame Time and Place, A Parcel of SLAVES, of both Sexes, Grown and Young, one of them an ingenious Fellow; he is a Carpenter, Cooper, Shoemaker, and Tanner; a likely young Fellow, who has been a waiting Man, and can ſerve well at Table, *&c.* a good Cook Wench, and ſeveral Others. A large Aſſortment of Houſhold and Kitchen Furniture, ſuch as very good Feather Beds and Furniture, Mahogany, Walnut, and other Chairs, a good Couch, Mahogany, Walnut, and other Tables, a Mahogany Deſk, one Ditto and Book Caſe, with a Looking Glaſs Front, a good Eight Day Clock, a Mahogany Corner Cupboard with a Glaſs Front, a painted Ditto, two Marble Tables, Mahogany Cheſts of Drawers, Looking Glaſſes of various Sorts and Sizes, a Silver Tea Pot, Cream Pot, Tea Spoons, *&c.* Table Spoons, Salts, Silver Haſted Knives and Forks, China, Earthen, and Stone Ware of different Sorts; a large Aſſortment of good Pewter, Copper, Tin and Iron Pots, and many other neceſſary and convenient Things in a well furniſh'd Houſe and Kitchen. A large Stock of Cattle, Sheep, Hogs, and ſome Horſes; raw Hides; a Riding Chaiſe, with Harneſs for two Horſes. A Quantity of *Indian* Corn and Wheat at the aforeſaid Mills, that will be Sold at any Time when applied for. A large Collection of Books, too tedious to particularize. The Sale to begin at Twelve o'Clock on the Day appointed, and will continue at the ſame Place until the Whole is diſpoſed of.

THOMAS CONTEE, } Executors.
HENRY FENDALL, }

N. B. Thoſe that have juſt Claims againſt the Eſtate of *Benjamin Fendall*, Eſq; Deceaſed, are deſired to bring them in, legally proved; and thoſe that are Indebted to the ſaid Eſtate, are deſired to pay the Executors without further Notice.

THE Subſcriber laſt Winter, being in great Diſtreſs, for Payment, Advertiſed for the moſt languiſhing and deplorable Manner, and was then in Hopes that thoſe whom he had credited, would out of Compaſſion come and pay him; but this being very little regarded, he now deſires every one that is Indebted to him, to make immediate Payment: And, as Caſh is not to be had, he will take for Payment, at a reaſonable Rate, Wheat, *Indian* Corn, Beans, white Peas, Oats, Rice, Barley, Tobacco, Chickens, Turkeys, Sheep, Pigs, Bacon, Barrell'd Pork, or any Thing rather than tarry any longer out of his Money; and thoſe that do not comply, may depend on being Sued or Warranted directly after the Firſt of *July* next. Every Thing that is to be purchaſed, muſt be delivered at the Subſcriber's new Mill, at the Head of *South River*, where he carries on his Taylor's Buſineſs, and any Gentlemen or Ladies may depend on being uſed in the beſt Manner, and their Work done at a reaſonable Rate. The Subſcriber will for the future give no Credit, but will take any Thing for Pay, at a reaſonable Price.

JOHN DUCKER.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

RAN away on the 18th Day of *May* laſt, from the *Baltimore* Iron-Works, on *Patapſco*, an *Engliſh* Convict Servant Man, named *John Child*, by Trade a Gardener, ſpeaks broad, about 30 Years of Age, has a red Beard, is much mark'd with the Small-Pox, 5 Feet 8 Inches high, and wears brown curl'd Hair: Had on when he went away, a double riveted Steel Collar, Felt Hat, two Oſnabrig Shirts, Oſnabrig Trowſers, Grey Coat of a greyiſh colour, trimm'd with flat Metal Buttons, blue German Serge Coat, black Cloth Jacket and Breeches, white Cotton Stockings, and a Pair of Pumps almoſt new.

Whoever ſecures ſaid Servant ſo that he may be had again, ſhall have the above Reward, and reaſonable Charges if brought home.

JAMES FRANCIS.

JUST IMPORTED

From St. CHRISTOPHER's, *in the Schooner* Virgin, THOMAS JARROLD *Maſter, and to be Sold on the very loweſt Terms by* WILLIAM GRAHAM, *at his Store in* George-Town, *and at the Landing of* William Digges, *Eſq; laſt near the Head of* Patowmack, *in* Maryland, *for Caſh, good Bills of Exchange, or* Indian Corn,

RUM by the Ton, Hogſhead, or Barrel; and Sugar by the Hogſhead, Barrel, or Hundred Weight.

IF the Reverend Mr. *William Morris*, late of the County of *Montgomery* in *North Wales*, be ſtill Living, he is hereby deſired to apply by Letter to the Reverend *William Barrell*, of *Carol* County, *Maryland*; from whom he may hear of ſomething that greatly concerns his Intereſt.

N. B. If he is Dead, and any Perſon would take the Trouble of ſending a Certificate of his Death to the ſaid Mr. *Barrell*, they ſhall be thankfully Rewarded.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER,

FIFTEEN Acres of LAND, or thereabouts, at the Head of *Back-River*, in *Baltimore* County, the Firſt Tueſday in *Auguſt* next, at Talbot Court, conveniently ſituated for a Warehouſe.

RICHARD RICHARDSON.

February 1, 1764.

IN an Advertiſement publiſhed in the *Maryland Gazette*, bearing Date *April* 6th, 1763, informing the Debtors of the Loan-Office, That unleſs they paid off and diſcharged their reſpective Bonds by the Thirtieth Day of *July* laſt, they would be put in Suit; to which little Regard has been paid: THEREFORE the Commiſſioners once more give Notice, That they will immediately proceed to ſuing out Executions upon all the Bonds due to them as Truſtees of the Loan-Office aforeſaid, and that they will continue to do until all the Bonds are paid off. The Time for finiſhing and compleating the whole Buſineſs is ſhort.

Signed per Order,

[illegible] COURAN, Cl. P. C. Off.

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